SOPP # 710 (Treasury)	Prepared By: Treasury Division	
Effective Date: 2/27/09	Approved By: Commissioner of Finance	
Title	Drawdown of Federal Funds for Vendor Payments (Non-Reimbursable Programs)	
Purpose	Establish a streamlined approach to enhance and maximize the cash management of federal funds that support vendor payments, in accordance with the Cash Management Improvement Act (CMIA) of 1990.	
Policies	 ❖ Agencies and departments are strictly prohibited from the drawdown of federal funds prior to check issuance unless authorized by their grant. ❖ Agencies and departments must proactively perform an inquiry within the ERP to determine the date of check issuance and the subsequent drawdown date for a grant. ❖ Vendor check payments that are supported by federal funds will not be released or disbursed from the Department of Finance, Treasury Division until proper supporting evidence of a request for a drawdown is received via the "Drawdown Report", which includes the Bank Deposit or Settlement Date, Amount, Pin #, Drawdown Confirmation #, and Dept ID#. ❖ Department and agencies must submit all supporting evidence for federal fund drawdown's in the following order of preference: A. Email (as a "PDF" document): ffddrequest@dof.gov.vi B. Fax: 774-7671 C. In-person: DOF, Treasury Division ❖ Drawdown of federal funds must be properly recorded within the ERP using the "Miscellaneous Cash Receipts" entry prior to release of any vendor payment. ❖ A separate batch, utilizing the appropriate bank code in the ERP for federal funds, must always be employed. 	
Responsibilities	 ✓ Departments and Agencies are responsible for: ○ Drawdown of federal funds in a timely manner, ○ Proactively inquiring within the ERP to determine when a check has been issued for a properly approved invoice payment, ○ Properly recording federal funds within the ERP, ○ Submitting a "Drawdown Report" to the Department of Finance, Treasury Division ○ Verifying via email correspondence to ffddrequest@dof.gov.vi the date of deposit ✓ The Department of Finance, Treasury Division is responsible for: ○ Releasing vendor check payments in a timely manner once all supporting documentation is received ○ Posting all federal funds transactions recorded by departments and agencies in a timely manner 	

Procedure

- Under the <u>"GVI Department Accounts Payable"</u> menu item and upon completion of entering the invoice(s) within AP Invoice Entry the following steps should be performed:
 - 1. Record the batch number associated with the invoices submitted to the Department of Finance for approval,
 - 2. Select View Batch within AP Invoice Entry,
 - 3. Print the batch for ease of researching the status of payment,
- Under the <u>"GVI Department Accounts Payable"</u> menu item, navigate to *Vendor Invoice List* after all intra-agency/intradepartmental approvals have been completed the following steps should be performed:
 - 4. Using the printed batch from "Step 3" above, search the payment status of the invoice by Document Number (or any other criteria deemed appropriate),
 - If no data is found for the Document Number, the invoice has not yet been submitted for a check run or has been rejected by the Department of Finance,
 - 6. If a data record is found, "Browse" the record and make a notation of the check number and status (i.e., "PD" = Paid),
- To the extent possible, invoices that have a valid check number should be grouped together as a single drawdown transaction. Once this is accomplished the following steps should be followed:
 - 7. Drawdown funds that encompass the grouped invoices,
 - 8. Within 24 hours of drawdown, print the "Drawdown Report" and simultaneously record transaction within the ERP using the "Miscellaneous Cash Receipts",
 - Email the "Drawdown Report" as a "PDF" document to <u>ffddrequest@dof.gov.vi</u> and within the correspondence, indicate the checks that are linked to drawdown which require release.
 - 10. Contact Treasury Division at 774-4750 Ext. 2280 to ensure that the checks have been released.

Revision History

Revision #	Date	Description of changes	Requested By
0	1/24/2009	Initial Release	VC
1	1/30/2009	Update to initial release	VC, SK, LJ, JL, CM
2 2/27/2009	Final revisions	VC & JL	